## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

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- 1. A cleaning composition for removing resists, comprising a salt of hydrofluoric acid and a base not containing a metal (A component), a water-soluble organic solvent (B1 component), at least one acid selected from a group consisting of organic acid and inorganic acid (C component) and water (D component), and having hydrogen ion concentration (pH) of 4-8.
- 2. A cleaning composition for removing resists, comprising a salt of hydrofluoric acid and a base not containing a metal (A component), a water-soluble organic solvent (B1 component), at least one acid selected from a group consisting of organic acid and inorganic acid (C component), water (D component) and an ammonium salt (E1 component), and having hydrogen ion concentration (pH) of 4-8.
- 3. The cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 1, wherein the water-soluble organic solvent (the B1 component) is a mixture of amides and polyhydric alcohol or its derivative.
- 4. The cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 1, wherein the base not containing a metal for forming the salt of hydrofluoric acid and a base not containing a metal (the A component) is at least one base selected from a group consisting of an organic amine compound, ammonia and lower quaternary ammonium base.
- 5. The cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 1, wherein the content of the salt of hydrofluoric acid and a base not containing a metal (the A component) is 0.01-1 mass %.
- 6. A cleaning composition for removing resists, comprising a salt of hydrofluoric acid and a base not containing a metal (A component), a water-soluble organic solvent (B2 component), phosphonic acid (C1 component), water (D component), and a base not containing a metal (E component), and

5 having hydrogen ion concentration (pH) of 2-8.

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- 7. The cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 6, wherein the water-soluble organic solvent (the B2 component) is a mixture of a sulfur-containing compound and polyhydric alcohol or its derivative.
- 8. A cleaning composition for removing resists, comprising a salt of hydrofluoric acid and a base not containing a metal (A component), a water-soluble organic solvent (B2 component), phosphonic acid (C1 component), water (D component), a base not containing a metal (E component) and a Cu corrosion inhibitor (F component), and having hydrogen ion concentration (pH) of 2-8.
- 9. The cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 8, wherein the Cu corrosion inhibitor (the F component) includes at least one kind selected from a group consisting of triazoles, aliphatic carboxylic acids, aromatic carboxylic acids and amino carboxylic acids.
- 10. A manufacturing method of a semiconductor device, comprising the steps of: forming a metal film having copper as its main component on a semiconductor substrate; forming an insulating film thereon; forming a resist film further thereon; providing a hole or a trench in the insulating film by dry etching using the resist film as a mask; removing the resist by gas plasma processing or heat treatment; and removing remaining resist residue using the cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 1.
- 11. The manufacturing method of a semiconductor device according to claim 10, wherein the resist film used as the mask in said dry etching is a chemically amplified excimer resist.
  - 12. A manufacturing method of a semiconductor device, comprising

the steps of: forming a metal film having copper as its main component on a semiconductor substrate; forming an insulating film thereon; forming a resist film further thereon; providing a hole or a trench in the insulating film by dry etching using the resist film as a mask; and removing the remaining resist film and resist residue produced during the dry etching using the cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 1.

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13. A manufacturing method of a semiconductor device, comprising the steps of: forming a metal film having copper as its main component on a semiconductor substrate; forming an insulating film thereon; providing a hole in the insulating film reaching the metal film by dry etching; and removing etching residue produced during the dry etching using the cleaning composition for removing resists according to claim 1.